

7. Legal History

The *Japan Legal History Association* (LHA) held its 71st General Meeting at Kobe Gakuin University on June 8 and 9, 2019.

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First Day:

Individual Presentations (from 10:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.):

- (1) Witch Trial Procedure and Its Theory in Early Modern Germany:
Crime of Witchcraft as Organized Crime
Hoshi Maeda (Assistant Professor (without tenure), Hokkaido University)
- (2) *Juzhong-mingjing* (挙重明軽) / *Jujing-mingzhong* (挙軽明重) and *Bifu* (比附) in *Tanglü-Shuyi*
Yasushi Kawamura (Professor, Kwansei Gakuin University)

Mini Symposium (from 1:00 P.M. to 5:45 P.M.): History of Legal History Research in Japan

Masaki Taguchi (Professor, Hokkaido University)
Kiyoshi Jinno (Associate Professor, Tokyo University of Science)
Mieko Akagi (Associate Professor, Teikyo University)
Natsuko Fujino (Professor, Chiba University of Commerce)
Yusaku Matsuzawa (Associate Professor, Keio University)
Arinobu Onaka (Doshisha University)

Second Day:

Mini Symposium (from 9:30 A.M. to 12:30 P.M.): Japanese Legal History / Potential of Legal History Textbooks — Question to Beginning Students and Spread to Adjacent Area

Chika Takatani (Associate Professor, Kyoto University)
Yuichi Deguchi (Professor, Toin University of Yokohama)
Ichiro Nitta (Professor, The University of Tokyo)

Takehiro Ohya (Professor, Keio University)

Takashi Uchida (Professor, The University of Tokyo)

Individual Presentations (from 3:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.)

- (1) Criminal Record and Pardon in Okinawa under the U.S. Occupation
Emiko Nakaami (Lecturer, Shumei University)
- (2) Chinese style surnames of the Queen of *Wakoku* (倭) and Japanese missions to *Wei* (魏)
Toshizo Ueno (Former Professor, Mie Chukyo University)

8. Sociology of Law

The *Japanese Association for the Sociology of Law* held its 2019 General Meeting at Chiba University on May 10, 11 and 12.

Symposium: What was Justice System Reform in Japan?

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- (1) “Introduction: What was Justice System Reform in Japan?”
Hideki Kashizawa (Professor, Saga University).
- (2) “Reviewing the Justice System Reform and Mapping its Future: the Historical Significance of the Reform and its Present Stage, how the Justice Reform Reflects the Social Changes”
Shunsuke Marushima (Lawyer).
- (3) “Who should Lead Japanese Legal Training?: Strategies for Law School Graduates Employment”
Masahiro Tanaka (Associate Professor, University of Tsukuba).
- (4) “Justice System Reform: the View from JASL Member’s Eyes”
Hiroshi Takahashi (Professor, Kobe University).
- (5) “Justice System Reform as ‘Unfinished Reform’: ‘Gender Equality for the Second Stage’”
Miho Mitsunari (Professor, Nara Women’s University).
- (6) “Comment: Is the Second Stage of the Justice System Reform Possible?”
Sestuo Miyazawa (Professor Emeritus, Kobe University).